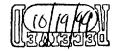


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The Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450) Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition Food and Drug Administration 200 C. Street S.W. Washington, DC 20204

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is a notification pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 343(r)(6) that Standard Process Inc., Palmyra, Wisconsin 53156-0904, is making the following statement:

(1) E-Manganese combines desiccated bovine anterior pituitary gland with vitamin E complex, manganese, and calcium to support a healthy pituitary gland.\*

This statement is made for a dietary supplement containing a proprietary blend of bovine anterior pituitary, magnesium citrate, and ascorbic acid. Other ingredients include calcium lactate, honey, manganese glycerophosphate, mixed tocopherols, and calcium stearate. And the name of the product is E-Manganese.

The information contained herein is accurate and Standard Process Inc. has substantiation that the statements are truthful and not misleading.

Sincerely yours,

Ann Holden

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